### **Mass Intentions Received**

Gerard Webb (RIP), Holy Souls, Bobby Shacklady (Get Well), Jacqueline Nelson (RIP), Mary Johnson (RIP), Marie Philip (RIP), James Donovan (RIP), Dermot Allister (RIP), Alison Ward (RIP), Sylvia Mooney (RIP), Joseph Bradley (RIP), Rita Talbot (RIP), Doreen Bridge (RIP), Bridget O'Leary (RIP), Eliza Frances Wilson (RIP), Simon Ward (RIP), Anthony Duffy (RIP), Rory Smith (RIP), Maria Liu (RIP), Angela Mullen (RIP), Rosaleen Farrell (RIP), Cel O'Leary (RIP), Bridie Fitzpatrick (RIP), Betty Leonard (RIP), Michael Cummins (RIP), Anthony

Preston (Intention), Mark Cox (RIP), Alethea Hughes (Remembrance), Janet McShane (Get Well), Martha Connolly (Birthday Remembrance), Rod Stewart (Intention), Patrick Connolly (Anniversary), Alfie Jenkins (RIP), Olive Willett (RIP), Harry Wildman (RIP), Sarah Brown (Intention), Magdalene Ferris (RIP), Len Knight (RIP), Pauline Howard (RIP), Eliza Frances Wilson.



### **Mass & Service Times**

All services take place in the cathedral unless marked otherwise

WEEK COMMENCING: 17 April 2016

# Sunday 17 April Fourth Sunday of Easter

 8.30am
 Mass

 10.00am
 Family Mass
 Crypt

 11.00am
 Solemn Choral Mass

 1.00pm
 Polish Mass
 Crypt

 3.00pm
 Choral Evening Prayer

 4.00pm
 Mass
 RLUH

 7.00pm
 Mass
 Crypt

### Monday 18 April

7.45am Morning Prayer8.00am Mass

12.15pm Mass Crypt

5.15pm Sung Mass

### **Tuesday 19 April**

**7.45am** Morning Prayer **8.00am** Mass

12.15pm Mass Crypt 5.15pm Sung Mass

## Wednesday 20 April

7.45am Morning Prayer

8.00am Mass

9.00am Mass (Catherine McKillen) STV

**12.15pm** Mass **5.15pm** Mass

**5.45pm** Choral Evening Prayer

### Thursday 21 April

7.45am Morning Prayer

8.00am Mass

9.00am Mass SS 12.15pm Mass Crypt

5.15pm Mass

5.45pm Choral Evening Prayer

### Friday 22 April

**7.45am** Morning Prayer

8.00am Mass

9.00am Mass (Fr Michael Hughes Jubilee)

STV

12.15pm Mass Crypt

**4.00pm** Exposition

5.15pm Mass

5.45pm Choral Evening Prayer

### Saturday 23 April

### St George

8.45am Morning Prayer

9.00am Mass

6.00pm Vigil Mass

(Robbie O'Gorman) STV **6.30pm** Vigil Mass Crypt

### RECONCILIATION (Confession)

#### Monday - Friday:

Following the 12.15pm Mass Crypt

Saturday:

Crvpt

11.00am - 12noon 3.30pm - 4.30pm

### Crypt

Crypt Chapel

#### STV

St. Vincent de Paul Parish Church

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55 Seel St, Missionaries of Charity

RLUH -

Royal Liverpool University Hospital

### **CLERGY:**

#### PRIESTS:

Canon Anthony O'Brien *Dean* 

Mgr Peter Cookson Fr Gerard Callacher

Fr Stephen Lee

#### **DEACONS:**

Rev Noel Abbott Rev Paul Mannings



# **Cathedral Record**

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# **Good Shepherd Sunday**

This Sunday is Good Shepherd Sunday which is set aside as a day of Prayer for Vocations particularly to the priesthood and religious life. There will be a retiring collection taken today to support the costs of training our students during their time in seminary. At present we have seven students in training. One is at Oscott College. four in the Beda College in Rome and one in the Venerabile in Rome. There are possibly three due to start in seminary this September. There will be one deacon ordained a priest this summer. Dominic Rislev and one student ordained a deacon. Michael Barrett. There are also two men to be ordained for the permanent diaconate this summer. There is a monthly gathering for any young men who are discerning whether they have a vocation to the priesthood. The details are below at the bottom of the page.

The Handicapped Children's Pilgrimage Trust are celebrating their Diamond Anniversary this year. They have been taking groups of disabled children, families and helpers from the UK and further afield to Lourdes in Easter Week for the last sixty years. They are planning four celebration masses on Bank Holiday Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May. The North of England celebration will be at our Cathedral at 12 noon – Bishop Tom Williams will preside at this mass. They would like to invite all who have supported or taken part in these pilgrimages over the years to come along and celebrate this special anniversary.

We welcome the Widnes and Warrington Deaneries who will be here this weekend on Pilgrimage for the Holy Year and next Saturday it is the turn of St Helens and Newton Le Willows.

### **Vocational Prayer:**

God, our Father, in Baptism you called us by name making us members of Your people, the Church.

We praise you for your goodness, We thank you for your gifts. We ask you to strengthen us to live in love and service to others after the example of Your Son, Jesus.

Father, look upon your Church with love and bless your people with generous single men and women, with loving husbands and wives, with understanding parents, with trusting children with dedicated priests, sisters, deacons and brothers.

Help us to see our vocations as a journey toward you.

You have called us, not to set us apart, but to bring us together with others who need our love.

Make us faithful signs of your presence in their midst.
We ask you through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

To support those exploring Vocations to the Priesthood in our diocese, a monthly day of recollection has been organised for the first Saturday of each month. These days will help men who feel called to ordained ministry to discover more about diocesan priesthood and meet others discerning a call to priesthood. There will be an opportunity to talk with and hear from priests who minister in the diocese, and also a time for prayer and discussion. For further information, please contact Fr James Preston, Vocations Director for the Archdiocese of Liverpool, at friamespreston@gmail.com or telephone: 0151 727 2493. Regular updates will be posted on the Facebook page: Archdiocese of Liverpool Vocations.

Canon Anthony O'Brien

DEAN

Tel: 0151 709 9222 Email: enquiries@metcathedral.org.uk

## **Cathedral Notice Board**

### ST VINCENT'S LOTTERY NUMBERS

For week commencing 9 April. Winning numbers are 1, 2, 3, 6, 8 and 14. Prize was £1,400. There were no winners so the prize is now £1,450. Please speak to a member of staff in Cathedral House if you would like to join up.

### **HOPE+NEWS**

Perhaps that should have read Hope+ in the news: since we do seem to have been, certainly in the Liverpool Echo quite a bit of late. Our latest appearance relates to Hope+ having helped set up a pilot with our partners FareShare and a Dublin based charity called Food Cloud, which having been run in Ireland for twelve months, transferred to the United Kingdom last year, with Liverpool being chosen as the first pilot area. The idea is to both help organisations working to alleviate food poverty, but also to help large supermarkets cut down on the vast amount of perfectly good food, which is "wasted" at the end of each working day. The scheme works via an app developed by Food Cloud, which allows a supermarket to inform a local charity, usually a different one each night, what surplus food is available. If the organisation can make use of what is available, they respond by sending a simply text, and go and collect it from the store. Using the app, Hope+ has been receiving upwards of sixty kilos of perfectly good food, mostly bakery and fruit and veg every week from Old Swan and Park Road Tesco.

We are only able to do this thanks

to our indefatigable volunteers, who are prepared to go and collect the food during the late evenings. Our quests very much appreciate being given not just fresh bread, but fresh bread from the in store bakery, as well as treats such as croissants and doughnuts. Finally, a thank you to everyone who made a special effort to support this year's WashDav16 scheme. It has been wonderful to have some grown up treats such as nice shower gel to hand out alongside the Easter Eggs for our vounger guests. A special thank you to Dianne Rothwell and Clare Kerrigan for donating the tea and coffee money from the Dean's Lent Lectures, to our WashDav16 collection; and to Everton in the Community and St Julie's RC High School for their enormous donations of Easter Eggs.

### **FUNNY MONEY**

There are many coins and notes both British and foreign lying in everybody's cupboards, drawers and tin boxes. Individually these are of no value but collectively they can be converted into 'real' money. Coins may be found on the collection plate and end up in a drawer not knowing what can be done with them. Donations from individuals are also welcome.

The Cathedral can and will make good use of these coins if it is possible for you to get them to the Cathedral or to LACE. If you have a collection in excess of 1kg in weight it may be possible to arrange collection. For any further information please contact Phil Dobbins on 0151 724 6644 or email: philip.dobbins@talktalk.net

### **HCPT**

The HCPT Trust is Celebrating its 60th Diamond Jubilee this Year and wishes to share the joy of the Easter Lourdes Jubilee Mass with past Easter Pilgrims and Helpers, Summer Hosanna House Groups and all our supporters with Diamond Jubilee Celebration Masses across the country on Bank Holiday Monday 2 Mav 2016. One of the Masses is being celebrated here at the Cathedral at 12.00 noon on Monday 2 May to which all pilgrims, helpers and supporters past, present and future are most welcome. 'Rise and Shine and Come and join the Celebration.'

### **CATHEDRAL GIFT SHOP**

Now has for sale a large range of Holy Communion and Confirmation gifts and cards. Please pop in and have a look.

### **CHEMIN NEUF**

Christ the King Student House run by the Chemin Neuf Community is offering the support of a shared common life and a Christian setting for study. The residence is centrally located between the Metropolitan Cathedral and the guild of students. For applications and enquiries, please contact us on liverpool@chemin-neuf.org

# DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

This Sunday is the annual Day of Prayer for Vocations. We ask God to send us more priests and Religious brothers and sisters especially in the places where they are most needed.

There will be a retiring collection at all Masses this weekend for the Priest's Training Fund which supports seminarians for the Archdiocese of Liverpool.

Gift Aid envelopes are available for donations by UK tax payers at the back of the Cathedral and the Crypt.

# DIVORCED & SEPARATED CATHOLICS

The next series of support meetings for Divorced and Separated Catholics will start in late April 2016. We welcome Catholics and other Christians who are divorced or separated (recently or in the past) or who are experiencing the breakdown of a marriage or a long term relationship. The small groups are informative, affirming, free and confidential. For information or to book a place please contact Frances Trotman 0151 727 2195. General enquiries may be directed to Maureen O'Brien. Marriage and Family Life Coordinator, LACE, 0151 522 1044 m.obrien@rcaol.co.uk

#### **JOB VACANCY**

An opportunity has arisen for an experienced cleaner to join a small and busy team at LACE, Sefton Park. This is a part time, 10 hours per week position to be worked Monday to Friday 4.45pm – 6.45pm. For further details please contact Gillian Sener on 0151 522 1101. Closing date is 29 April.

Last week's collection: £1,347.00

### **GIFT SHOP**

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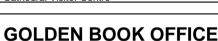
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The 5.15pm Mass on the first Friday of every month will be offered for all those who are recorded in the Golden Book.

Monday – Friday 10.00am – 3.30pm





# LUTYENS CRYPT

—— LIVERPOOL'S BEST KEPT —

ARCHITECTURAL SECRET

Open Monday-Saturday: First Admission: 10.00am Last Admission 3.30pm

Crypt Admission Charges: £3 Adults, £8 Family (2 adults + 2 children) £2 School Parties (per person)